IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re Application of)	Examiner: J.A. Dunston
Micha	el GIESING et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1636
Patent	Application No. 10/525,019)	Confirmation No.: 4832
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For:	METHOD FOR ANALYZING BODY FLUIDS FOR THE PRESENCE OF CANCER CELLS, USE THEREOF, CORRESPONDING ANALYSIS KITS, AND USE OF SPECIFIC ACTIVE SUBSTANCES FOR TREATING		

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of July 13, 2009 in connection with the above-identified application. The period for response is set to expire on August 13, 2009. This response is timely filed.

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